



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
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Appl. No. : 10/806,529 ) Confirmation No.  
Applicant : Reginia Chen et al. ) 2510  
Filed : March 23, 2004 )  
TC/Art Unit : 2182 )  
Examiner : Peyton, T. R. )  
Attorney : )  
Docket No. : O2MICRO-0009.CON2 )  
Customer No.: )  
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For: LOW POWER CD-ROM PLAYER )  
FOR PORTABLE COMPUTER )

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Madam:

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**DOUBLE PATENTING REJECTION**

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Address of Assignee: Post Office Box 1794 GT  
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6. Enclosed is a check under 37 CFR § 1.20(d). The attorney of record is empowered to sign on behalf of Assignee.

Respectfully submitted,

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